

Associate of Arts (A.A.) – Psychology

Upon completion of the Associate of Arts degree in Psychology, the graduate should be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate effective oral and written communication skills;
- 2. Exhibit proficiency in quantitative and qualitative reasoning;
- 3. Research and critically analyze information, ideas and arguments;
- 4. Comprehend basic psychological theories and principles;
- 5. Examine major world religions from a Christian context;
- 6. Understand and explain how history influences the religious, political, social, and cultural components of society;
- 7. Grasp the fundamental concepts of philosophy and explain how various theistic and non-theistic ideologies affect the Christian perspective;
- 8. Analyze the influence of societies and cultures on the humanities;
- 9. Develop knowledge of the physical universe and understand how human actions affect the environment;
- 10. Demonstrate an understanding of the Biblical Worldview in general education courses;
- 11. Identify and understand the history and content of the Bible;
- 12. Demonstrate an understanding of the fundamentals of Christian doctrine and theology;
- 13. Understand the challenges, objections, and alternatives to the Christian faith;
- 14. Exhibit the ability to clearly communicate the gospel in local and global settings;
- 15. Exhibit the competence and proficiency to pursue advanced studies at the undergraduate level; and
- 16. Think critically about theories and practices in psychology from a Christian worldview. (IG;1,2,4,6)

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The Associate of Arts degree is awarded to students who have completed a minimum of sixty credit hours of study or its equivalent in the area of psychology. This degree usually marks the halfway point to the baccalaureate degree. To complete the degree program, the student must fulfill the core requirements listed below.

Bible Requirements:

BBL 1101	Old Testament Survey		3 Credits
BBL 1151	New Testament Survey	ý	3 Credits
BBL 2201	Bible Doctrines Surve	у	3 Credits
MIN 1101	Introduction to Evangelism		<u>3 Credits</u>
		Total	12 Credits



CLP 3144	Abnormal Psychology	3 Credits
DEP 2004	Developmental Psychology	3 Credits
PCO 3005	Counseling Skills & Techniques	3 Credits
PPE 3003	Personality Theories	<u>3 Credits</u>
	Total	12 Credits

ENC 1101	English Composition I	3 Credits	
ENC 1102	English Composition II	3 Credits	
ENL 2012	English Literature	3 Credits	
ESC 1000	Introduction to Earth Science	3 Credits	
MAC 1105	College Algebra	3 Credits	
PHI 2010	Philosophy	3 Credits	
PHI 2100	Introduction to Logic	3 Credits	
PSY 2012	Introduction to Psychology	3 Credits	
REL 2300	World Religions	3 Credits	
SPC 1024	Introduction to Speech Communication 3 Credits		
WOH 1012	History of Civilization I	3 Credits	
WOH 1022	History of Civilization II	<u>3 Credits</u>	
	Total	36 Credits	

(A.A. Degree) Total Credits 60 Credits